The Fort Wayne Sentinel.

ESTABLISHED 1833. FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1889. PRICE TWO CENTS

GEORGE

DE WALD

AND

COMPANY.

CORSETS!

We are Offering a Full Line of the Celebrated

"J. B." Corsets.

None Genuine Except Those Stamped "J. B."

GEORGE -|- DEWALD

—AND—

COMPANY,

Calhoun and Columbia Sts

The finest line of merchant tailor goods in the city is found at the establishment of Rabus, the tailor, No. 16 West Berry street. He is disposing of his large stock of winter goods as rapidly as possible to make room for the spring stock, and parties wishing anything in his line will do well to call and take advantage of the low prices he is offering. 15eod3t

By Our Low Prices!

By Our Immense Stock!

By the Quality of Goods!

By a System of fair Dealing

We intend to merit another large increase in our sales for the coming year.

We have just finished our annual inventory of a very successful and satisfactory year's business.

But we propose to place our sales for 1889 far in advance of those of 1888, if handsome goods large assortment and low prices will accomplish it.

Natural gas means a healthy growth for Fort Wayne. We propose to grow with it, and to keep, all the time, a little in advance of Fort Wayne's improvement.

SPRING

-[OF]-

1889

Beautiful Spring Carpets Now Arriving.

Newest - Designs In Furniture.

Headquarters for Baby Carriages.

FOSTER'S,

LAFAYETTE,

FORT WAYNE

—AND—

TERRE HAUTE.

CROWN PRINCE RUDOLPH!

The Heir Apparent to the Austrian Throne Said to Have Committed Suicide.

VIENNA, Feb. 1.—It is officially announced that Crown Prince Rudolph, of Austria-Hungary, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. The weapon used was a revolver. It will be re-called that the first statement was that he died of apoplexy.

The *Wiener Zeitung* states this morning that an autopsy was performed last night on the remains of the crown prince Rudolph, by Dr. Wiederhofer. A wound was found in the side of the head, which was sufficient to have killed the prince. A revolver with one chamber discharged was found lying on the bed near the dead man's right hand.

It is therefore concluded that Prince Rudolph committed suicide. The bones of the skull were shattered as though by a bullet. No one, however, heard the report of the revolver, as every one belonging to the castle was outside preparing for a shooting excursion. It is now stated by those who were about the prince recently that he had been morbid and nervous during the last few weeks and therefore the statement is made by the Vienna *Press* that the prince was undoubtedly temporarily deranged. The prince had for some time previous to his death been suffering from headaches. These were attributed to an injury to his head which he received recently in falling from his horse.

The only letter that Crown Prince Rudolph left was addressed to his mother.

CHOSE DEATH TO DISGRACE.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* learns from a private dispatch from Vienna that Crown Prince Rudolph committed suicide in accordance with an agreement he had made with a prince of one of the highest families in Austria.

The dispatch states that Prince Rudolph had seduced the prince's sister, and she told her brother of her disgrace.

The latter sought out the crown prince and gave him the option of killing himself or of fighting a duel with him. Rudolph chose the former to avoid the open disgrace of the latter.

The physicians, after viewing the body, refused to certify that the prince died of apoplexy, whereupon an exciting scene occurred. One of the physicians informed the *New Freie Presse* of the affair, hence the publication for which the paper was confiscated.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—The death of Crown Prince Rudolph has caused the abandonment of all the court fetes. Condolences have been received at the Austrian embassy from the grand dukes and members of the diplomatic corps. The *Official Messenger* publishes a black bordered article on the death of the crown prince.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The *Globe* says that it is authorized to contradict the report of the death of the king of Holland.

DUBLIN, Feb. 1.—Mr. Wm. O'Brien, who was arrested Wednesday, slept last night in Clonmel jail on a plank bed, with no other clothing than a shirt. Many shops in Clonmel are closed today as a protest against Mr. O'Brien's treatment.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Patrick Molley, the noted Fenian, was arrested at Liverpool to-day on a charge of perjury in connection with his recent testimony before the Parnell commission.

BROKE JAIL.

Three Convicts Escape From a California Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Three convicts, named Fitzgerald, Forney and Reos, escaped from San Quentin prison, yesterday morning, by seizing a ladder and climbing over a high wall during a dense fog. An alarm was given but the fog aided the fugitives, only one of whom, Forney, has been captured.

Failure in Wabash.

WABASH, Feb. 1.—Felix E. Fougera, a grocer here, to-day transferred his stock to his brother Louis, to cover a mortgage for $1,600 held by the latter. There are a number of foreign creditors, including wholesale houses in Lafayette and Cincinnati, who are anxious to obtain a settlement.

Senator Allison.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The *Evening Sun* says: "We have positive information that Senator Allison has declined the portfolio of the treasury tendered to him by President-elect Harrison."

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Indiana—Generally fair; warmer; southwesterly winds.

CONGRESS.

A Resolution Introduced in Regard to Samoan Affairs—The Oklahoma Bill Passes the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Mr. Saulsbury introduced in the senate, to-day, the following resolution, which was agreed to:

"Resolved, That the committee on foreign relations is instructed to inquire into the condition of affairs in the Samoan islands and report at an early day what measures are necessary and proper to protect the interests of American citizens residing therein, and to discharge any obligations of the United States to the people of those islands in the maintenance of their own local government free from the exclusive interference of any foreign power and to secure the just rights and interests of the United States in the future control and government of said islands."

At 2:10 the senate went into executive session on the British extradition treaty. It will probably be disposed of to-day.

HOUSE.

The house this morning agreed to the conference report on the bill creating a department of agriculture; also to a report from the committee on rules giving senate bills the preference during the remainder of the session. The consular and diplomatic bill was referred to the committee on foreign relations, and the house proceeded to the consideration of the Oklahoma bill.

The house has passed the Oklahoma bill. Yeas, 148; nays, 102.

JOSEPH A. MOORE.

The Indianapolis Defaulter at Montreal, Canada, With a Lady Friend.

MONTREAL, Feb. 1.—The report of a private detective agency, in this city, is authority for the statement that Jos. A. Moore, the defaulting general agent at Indianapolis, of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company, and a lady supposed to be his wife, have been stopping here in a private house since last Tuesday.

The detective will not tell the location of the house. He says that Wednesday two men arrived here from Indianapolis and have had several conversations with Moore since then, their object being, it is supposed, to effect some kind of a settlement or have Moore sign certain papers. Whether any arrangement has been arrived at is not known, though a party is expected here from Hartford to-day.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

The Hon. William T. Cavanaugh, for the last six years assistant secretary of state of Kansas, was arrested at Topeka yesterday on a warrant charging him with blackmail in demanding $600 for the withholding of a bill cutting down the fees of State Printer Baker.

Chief of Police Hennessy, of Grand Forks, Dakota, yesterday arrested Milo Bunnell, editor of the Duluth *Herald*, on a telegram charging him with embezzlement of $1,800 worth of diamonds.

Won in Two Rounds.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 1.—G. S. Allen, champion heavy weight of Alabama, and H. E. Beesly, champion of Kansas, had their long pending fight yesterday at a secluded spot near this city. In the second round Allen struck Beesly a terrible blow, which felled him and rendered him unable to rise at the call of time. Allen was declared the winner.

Wants to go to War.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The *Herald* this morning says that Major David E. Porter, formerly of the United States army and eldest son of Admiral Porter, has offered his services to General Legitime to help subdue the forces under Hippolyte.

After an Office.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 1.—Senator Sabin, of Minnesota, and ex-Mayor Fitler, of Philadelphia, are expected here to-day. Mr. Sabin is no doubt anxious to have some sort of cabinet lightning strike him.

Sent for Life.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The verdict in the Foster case was murder in the second degree, and Judge Lewis this morning sentenced the prisoner to Auburn state prison for life.

Black Measles.

KEOKUK, Iowa, Feb. 1.—The neighboring city of Warsaw, Ill., is alarmingly afflicted with black measles, there being over three hundred cases reported. There were five deaths yesterday. The people are growing alarmed, and numbers are leaving the place.

THE SAMOAN AFFAIRS.

The German Troops Will be Withdrawn From Samoa and Neutrality Preserved.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The president has notified congress that Count Arco Valley, the German minister, informed the state department this morning that the German troops would be withdrawn from Samoa and the neutrality of Samoa preserved.

A message from the president transmitting the correspondence on the Samoan question was received at the house this afternoon. Under date of February 1, (to-day) County Arco-Valley German minister to the United States, under instructions from the German chancellor, sent a communication to Secretary Bayard.

Among other things it says: "In negotiating with Mataafa our consul at Samoa has asked that the administration of the islands of Samoa might be temporarily handed over to him, which demand not being in conformity to our previous promises regarding its neutrality and independence, Mr. Knappe has been ordered by telegram to withdraw his demand."

Senator Sabin, of Minnesota, accompanied by Col. Gen. R. Davis, of Chicago, arrived here this morning. After breakfast they drove to Gen. Harrison's residence where they remained for several hours.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The *Standard* this morning says: "Prince Bismarck is not likely to court a quarrel with the United States for the sake of gratifying the local spite of Herr Weber or any of the pushing Germans who aspire to treat the Samoan islands as their Pacific preserve. There is no mistaking the earnestness and sincerity of the protests made at Washington in this case. No theory of electioneering exigencies can be invoked to explain away the uncompromising language employed by the leading politicians.

The reserve with which Mr. Bayard has hitherto responded to appeals made to the state department for prompt and energetic action will not mislead German diplomats.

THE BACKBONE BROKEN.

The Street Car Strike at New York is Rapidly Nearing an End.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A general air of quietness prevailed about the stables of the horse car companies on the east side this morning. The strikers that were in the neighborhood were seeking employment. The strikers are undoubtedly losing ground and are hourly growing more desperate.

At police headquarters no reports of trouble were received up to 9 o'clock. Requests for assistance to run cars were received from several roads, and policemen were sent to give protection against the strikers.

By 10 o'clock the Sixth avenue line had fifty cars making regular trips without experiencing any trouble from the strikers.

At noon to-day the state of affairs on the east side seemed to indicate that the backbone of the strike in that section was broken. All the companies that ran their cars on the first day of the strike despite the strong opposition offered had their roads in almost complete running order.

HOME GOSSIP.

The gentlemen who went on Mr. Sullivan's bond, the defaulting Marion county clerk, will lose $25,000. Pretty tough.

Mr. E. Roehm, of the Pape & Roehm furniture store, and N. Camp returned yesterday from a three days' hunt at Wilshire, Ohio.

The fire department ran to No. 142 Madison street, this morning, where the residence of Louis Hartman was damaged by a chimney fire.

Hon. Henry Monning and Mr. Henry Monning, jr., attended the reception given the legislative committee at the Michigan City prison Wednesday.

Dr. Christian Martz, of West Jefferson street, received a telegram at noon saying that his father, who formerly resided here, died this morning at his farm home near Kendallville.

Mr. Frank Gooke, for seventeen years a traveling salesman for the Heustis wholesale grocery house, to-day made his maiden bow to the city customers of the wholesale house of Mr. A. C. Trentman.

The social of the Second Presbyterian church at the residence of Dr. J. O. Kellar, last evening, was a grand success. As the doctor and his genial wife are hospitable entertainers, it is needless to state that all present enjoyed themselves.

RASCALLY SLEEPERS.

They Rob the Court House Janitor and Nestle Near the Furnace.

When the court house janitor opened his room in the basement of the county temple of justice this morning, he was startled.

The gas, which usually burns brightly all night, was extinguished, and the official collided with articles that were out of place. After letting a little light on the scene he discovered three fellows sleeping near the furnace and speedily hustled them out.

A little later he discovered that he had been "touched," so to speak. The fellows had twisted the arms off of the lawn sprinkler, taken the nozzle off the hose, and with various other articles made off some time during the night. The lawn sprinkling paraphernalia was made of German silver, and this the rascals sold.

The janitor will ask for police protection from the vagrants and loafers who haunt the court house corridors.

LET HER GUESS.

The Salamonie Company Accept the New Natural Gas Ordinance.

The stockholders of the Salamonie Natural Gas company held a meeting yesterday and unanimously accepted the franchise recently voted to them by the city council.

The company will at once prepare to pipe natural gas to the city. The first movement will be to determine on their gas territory and then sink wells enough to supply the demands here and at points along the Muncie road, the route they will pursue, as their leased lands are down that way.

This is the first movement looking towards piping gas to Fort Wayne, and it is hoped its promoters will be as speedy as possible about it.

THE PYTHIAN KNIGHTS.

A Big Party Go to Angola to Institute a Lodge.

At Angola last night a new lodge of Knights of Pythias was instituted and the event was a notable one in northern Indiana, as all the lodges were represented.

Among the sir knights who attended from Fort Wayne were: Dr. K. K. Wheelock, P. C.; Theodore Frank, P. C.; T. W. Blair, P. C.; F. W. Rawles, Benj. Lehman, Sol Redlick, Dr. J. W. Youngs, Henry Short, Walter Lyman and D. Hutchins, of Fort Wayne lodge, No. 116.

Accompanying Fort Wayne lodge as invited guests were: S. T. Cook, P. C.; M. B. Stults, P. C.; O. E. Mohler, P. C., of Huntington lodge, No. 93.

The new order was instituted by the Waterloo lodge, Fort Wayne lodge by their invitation conferring the Amplified Rank of Knight.

Henry C. Toeltman, aged forty-three years, died this morning of brain fever, at his home, 292 Calhoun street. The funeral occurs Sunday, at 1:30 p. m., from the house, and at 2 o'clock from the Emanuel Lutheran church. Mr. Toeldman is the well known Calhoun street tailor.

John Ahlers, a former employe of the Bass foundry, whose insane escapades have been noted, was returned from Toledo last night and is again a maniac. His family have deserted him and he will again be taken to the insane hospital.

THE practice of commemorating the anniversaries of deaths by an advertisement in the newspapers is growing very fashionable in England. A notice appeared in a Liverpool paper the other day reminding the world of the death of a four-month-old child who became an angel thirty-six years ago.

THE use of petroleum as fuel seems to gain ground slowly. It has been tried in Detroit with a saving of about 41 per cent. of the cost of coal-burning furnaces. Methods for burning it seem to be defective, however, and so far no adequate test has been made.

New Orleans Sugar and Molasses.

Choice Yellow New Orleans Sugar, 5½c. New Orleans Molasses, 35 and 50c per gallon.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Manufacturers Meet.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1.—The barb wire manufacturers of the west held a meeting yesterday. The question of fixing a price schedule for the year was lost and the factories will operate as they please.

Fresh Baltimore Oysters Received Daily by Express.

O. K. 18c; S. & W. 30c can.

Selects for frying, 35c can.

FRUIT HOUSE.

MEETS DEATH ON DUTY.

The Flames Destroy an Academy and a Fire Chief Killed in the Ruins.

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The Union academy here, containing about 1,000 pupils, was totally destroyed by fire to-day. When the fire was discovered a panic ensued and some of scholars, as well as one of the teachers, had to be carried out. The greatest excitement prevailed, but all of the inmates are believed to be safe.

The firemen were unable to get control of the fire owing to a high wind and it required their constant attention to save the jail and other buildings. The fire caught from the furnace. Loss $35,000, insurance $20,000.

A later dispatch says: At the fire this forenoon George Thompson, chief of the fire department, was instantly killed and Teddy Smith badly hurt by falling walls. The loss is now estimated at $45,000.

LATER.

ALBANY, Feb. 1.—The Johnstown jail, containing a large number of prisoners, is now on fire and little prospect of saving it is entertained. It is thought to have been fired by a prisoner, instead of catching from the other building.

THE WEATHER CLEANS

Should King for a Good, Long Cold Snap to Kill the Malaria in the Air.

"There is more sickness in the city this winter than I have seen for years," said a prominent physician to a SENTINEL reporter last evening. "It is due to a large extent to the malaria there is in the atmosphere as a result of the mild, open winter we have been having, and a good, cold season of two or three weeks, with the thermometer down touching on the zero point, would be a good thing. It would freeze out this malaria and render the atmosphere pure and fit to breath, and do more to check disease than any medicine we could administer.

"The death rate has been uncommonly large all the winter, and us doctors have been kept going continually. I have six patients on one street and other doctors tell me of similar occurrences in their own practice. It is due greatly to the weather. It would be a bad thing to have spring come without a cold snap and I hope this month will give us a good dose of cold weather."

"Lay thy sweet hands in mine and trust in me," he said, but she only remarked that she had neuralgia and must hold her head. Then he bought her a bottle of Salvation Oil for twenty-five cents. Now he holds her sweet hands by the hour.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Eberwein take this method of returning their thanks to the friends who were so kind to them during the last illness and death of their son, George Eberwein. The kindness of the Bass foundry employes is especially remembered, and the bereaved parents are grateful for all these acts of true friendship during the hour of deep affliction.

MR. AND MRS. CHRISTIAN EBERWEIN.

Those wishing to have their fortunes told should call on Mrs. Silvers, 190 Montgomery street. Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 50c. Pay in advance. No crowds admitted.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CLOSING PRICES—1:15 P. M.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Wheat: February, 94½; May, 97¼@97½. Corn: February, 35½; March, 35¾; May, 37. Oats: February, 25¼; March 25¼; May, 27¼. Pork: February, $11.35; March, $11.47½; May, $11.65@11.67½. Lard: February, $6.85; March, $6.87½; May, $6.97½. Short ribs: February, $5.95; March, $6.05, May, $6.17½@6.20.

Notice.

Beginning Monday, February 4, till further notice, our store will be closed every evening at 7 o'clock, except Saturdays.

Respectfully yours,

RENNER, CRAYBILL & CO.,

30-3t 56 Calhoun street.

To China Decorators.

Ladies who decorate their own China will find it to their advantage to have it fired at Westminster Seminary, thus saving delay and expense of transportation. 30-6t

Get a Shave

At the tonsorial parlors in the Aveline house. They have been opened by Mr. T. Marion, who has around him an experienced corps of workmen. A hair cut, a bath, a shampoo or anything in that line can be had at this place.

Jan21-12t

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

RABUS

—THE—

TAILOR.

Carries the Largest Line of Foreign and Domestic Goods in

Suitings,

Overcoatings,

Trouserings

IN THE CITY.

Work - All - Guaranteed!

NO. 16 WEST BERRY STREET

Six Doors West of Calhoun.

RABUS,

—THE—

TAILOR. 19-1mo.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT.—Store room No. 41 East Main street, Minor block. Inq W. B. & G. E. Miner, Room 5, Aveline House Block. 29-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A planing mill fully equipped with tools and machinery for doing a large business. Engine and boiler nearly new. Located on seven lots adjoining the Wabash and the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroads, near depot. Lumber on hand. Can be bought at a bargain. Apply to H. C. Taylor, on the premises, or to A. H. Carrier, Foster block, City. 19-eodtf

Jan. 19, 1889.

FOUND.

FOUND.—The place to get wringers, sweepers, umbrellas, &c. repaired, at A. I. Hoff & Co's second hand store, No. 68 East Main street. 1-eod3m.

FOUND.—Watch and chain. Owner can have same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for this advertisement. 19-tf

FOUND.—A large flat key. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement. 19-tf

WANTED.

WANTED.—A partner with $200 to act as treasurer with first class travelling musical comedy troupe. Apply at once to Ned Turner, No. 97 Baker street, City. 20-tf.

WANTED.—A good salesman to sell Nursery Stock. Salary $40 per month and expenses paid. Address, with references, D. H. Patty, Nurseryman, Geneva, N. Y. 1-tri-eod

WANTED, an Overseer, or chief advertiser, and one to three assistants according to size of county and population. $85 a month salary and expenses to overseers, and $30 to assistants. No peddling. No soliciting. Duties confined to making collections, distributing printed matter, putting up advertisements, etc., or Electric Goods. Expenses advanced; salaries paid each month. Enclose four cents postage for full specimen line of advertising matter to ELECTRO GALVANIC CO., Palace Building, Cincinnati, O. No attention paid to postal cards. 4-tri-char

WANTED AN ACTIVE MAN (ONE OUT of employment) to begin on fair salary and work himself up, representing, in his own locality, an old established house. Reference exchanged.

American Mfg. House, Lock Box 1885,, N. Y.

PROFESSIONAL.

MARY A. WHERY, M. D., office and residence No. 26 Madison street. Special attention given to ladies. May5-tf

DIETER'S CROWN BAKING POWDER

Recommended by the highest medical & chemical authorities, who testify to its absolute purity, wholesomeness and wonderful strength. Every can guaranteed to do the work of any other baking powder costing twice as much. Every can guaranteed to give satisfaction, or purchaser money refunded.

1 lb. Can. 30c.; ½ lb., 20c.; ¼ lb., 8c.

If your dealer does not keep Crown, do not let him persuade you to buy some other baking powder on the plea it is good, but ask him to oblige you by getting

DIETER'S CROWN BAKING POWDER.

YELLOW SIGNS. YELLOW TIRS.

Use "Peerless Brand"

BALTIMORE

FRESH RAW OYSTERS.

Selected and packed with cleanliness and care by

C. H. PEARSON & CO.,

BALTIMORE, MD.

They are The Real. Ask your Grocer for them. 7-tdewlm

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

E. A. R. HACKETT, Editor and Proprietor.

FRIDAY, FEB. 1, 1889.

THE Pennsylvania senate passed a prohibition amendment by a vote of thirty-two to two.

THE Women's Christian Temperance Union wants an $800,000 building in Chicago. Of this amount $200,000 has already been raised, and it is thought the other $600,000 will be shortly forthcoming.

MRS. HARRISON and Mrs. McKee are shopping at New York. There is not as much talk as there was about "state pride," etc., since Indianapolis was snubbed by the coming ladies of the White House.

THE demand of the striking drivers and conductors on the New York street car lines is that the representatives of labor organizations be recognized by the companies. Eighteen lines and 8,000 men are involved.

THE legislature of Illinois will appropriate over $2,000,000 this year for the maintenance of the state benevolent institutions, and Indiana can afford to be as liberal. Money expended in this domain is never wasted.

MEMBERS of the Wisconsin legislature are signing a petition for the appointment of ex-Governor Rusk as secretary of war. It is alleged that General Harrison has suggested that General Rusk receive such indorsement.

BEFORE the New York legislature is a bill, providing that officers of banks or any investment, trust or insurance company who receive any deposits or premiums or money in trust, when they know their concern is solvent, shall be liable to jail for three years.

NINETY-SIX out of the one hundred and fifty members of the Indiana legislature are born Hoosiers. Twenty-two members were born in Ohio, and the others are widely scattered. Of the one hundred and ninety-eight members of the Illinois legislature seventy members claim that state as a birth place. It will be seen that Indiana prefers its own people to a larger degree.

THE lower house of congress can not afford to compromise its position by passing the senate tariff bill, a measure conceived and constructed in the interest of monopolies and high taxes. The people of the United States by a decisive majority, on the popular vote, approved the democratic idea of tariff reform, and the party must hew the line straight. It can not afford to compromise with the trusts and monopolies on any point.

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York *World* finds that the stalwarts of Oneida county, New York, Mr. Conkling's late home, are bitterly indignant over the prospect that Mr. Blaine will be in Gen. Harrison's cabinet. They feel that they have been deceived because a gentleman close to Mr. Harrison wrote a letter to Mr. Theodore Pomeroy last fall, before the election, assuring him in effect that Mr. Blaine would have no part in the administration.

THE authorities at Washington appear to be awakening to the necessity of definite action regarding the situation of affairs on the Samoan islands. Most of yesterday's session of the senate was given up to its discussion; but the talk is aimless, for neither side seems anxious to advocate an aggressive line of action. Until the United States exhibits a disposition to protect our rights abroad with no uncertain sound, controversies like that in Samoa, will arise.

MR. BELL, the inventor of the telephone, has had a queer experience, and one calculated to make him superstitious. Mr. Bell lives at Washington, and his house was formerly occupied by Paymaster Broadhead, of the navy. He sold it to Bell, but the family of the latter had nothing but trouble after they entered it, and Mrs. Bell has taken such a violent dislike for the house that she wants her husband to give it away. The children had the scarlet fever, the typhoid fever, the diphtheria, and several other diseases. MRS. Bell's sister died, a favorite servant fell down stairs and was crippled for life, and finally the house caught fire and the family barely escaped with their lives.

IT is fashionable, of course, to abuse legislatures and the Indiana law makers come in for their share. Yesterday the republicans wasted a whole day ascertaining how many soldiers are employed as door keepers in the senate. The inference is that the old veterans do nothing but watch and wait for the offices—that their special avocation is to seek a comfortable place at the public teat. This idea is most preposterous and absurd. It is unreasonable to suppose that the soldiers as a class are charges on the public bounty or office beggars, for most, if not all of them, are engaged in the active affairs of life. The theme is a favorite one with republican demagogues and in this case noted it served to delay and possibly defeat needed legislation.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Little Done in Either Branch Yesterday.—Mr. Oppenheim's Bill.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 1.—The senators wasted all of yesterday in discussing how many soldiers are employed as door keepers. It was the republican scheme to prevent consideration of Senator Barrett's bill to establish night schools.

In the house Mr. Oppenheim, of Allen, introduced a bill authorizing the formation of co-operative associations by mechanics and farmers.

Mr. Cullen introduced a resolution instructing the committee on education to prepare a bill abolishing the office of county superintendent and providing for the examination of teachers by persons to be chosen by the county commissioners. He regarded the county superintendents system as too expensive.

Mr. Shambaugh introduced a bill to provide for the election of school trustees in cities of this state which have a population of 14,000 and less than 16,000 inhabitants.

Calling for Health Statistics.

Representative Dryer, of LaGrange, has introduced a bill which, if it becomes a law will furnish valuable health statistics. It provides that burial permits must be taken out for every death, and that marriages and births must be reported to the county health boards within five days from the date of their occurrence. County health officers are to be appointed by the county commissioner and paid fees instead of salaries. The state board of health has long wanted such a bill as this passed.

The Approved Election Bill.

The senate judiciary committee, by its chairman, Mr. Barrett, has recommended the passage of an election bill which will probably be accepted by both branches of the legislature as the substitute of the various pending measures. It embodies mainly the provisions of the bill introduced by Senator Andrews, and is certainly long enough to be complete. It covers twenty-five typewritten pages, and in print would make about six columns. Fifteen of the sections relate to the election boards, the provisions for which are much the same as those already in existence, with the exception that no precinct shall contain more than 250 voters. The new election features provided for in the bill are: (1) That in each precinct there shall be two ballot boxes, one red and one white, each of which shall have two locks; (2) that there shall be two special deputy sheriffs for each precinct, chosen from opposite parties, to enforce the election law, and to make arrests on the demand of any member of the board; (3) that there shall be a state board of election commissioners, composed of the secretary of state and two electors designated by him, chosen from different parties, to prepare and distribute ballots throughout the state; (4) that there shall be a county board of election commissioners, composed of the clerk and two persons appointed by him, who shall make the local distribution of the ballots; (5) candidates are required to file with the secretary of state a certificate of nomination signed by the officers of the convention by which they were chosen, and the names of these candidates shall be officially published in a local newspaper by each county clerk; (6) that ten tickets for each voter shall be delivered by the county clerk to the inspectors three days before the election; (7) all ballots shall be countersigned by the poll clerk before they are deposited in the ballot box; (8) the county board of election shall have printed in large type and posted conspicuously at the polls instructions for the guidance of electors in preparing their ballots; (9) no elections shall be held in a room where liquors are sold; (10) one challenger and one poll-book holder of each party organization may stand at the side of the chute, and no other person shall remain within fifty feet of it, except when offering to vote; (11) after passing the challengers, the elector shall announce his name to the poll-clerk, who shall register it, and ballots will be delivered to him, after which he may go alone into any of the booths which may be unoccupied and prepare his ballot as he desires to vote it; (12) on closing the polls the election board shall destroy all unvoted ballots, after completing the count of the vote the ballots shall be destroyed; (13) all election days shall be legal holidays and all employes may have an opportunity to to vote; (14) any person violating the provisions of this act may be imprisoned from two to five years and in addition disfranchised for ten years.

Weighmaster Ryan collected $145 for January.

Pond's Extract.—During severe and changeable weather no one subject to rheumatic pains should be one day without Pond's Extract. It is of the greatest benefit for sorts of inflammatory rheumatism. Pond's Extract is a wonderful and soothing remedy, and possesses decided anodyne properties. Pain, lameness and soreness are relieved and the entire disease often cut short and subdued. For sale everywhere. Be sure to get the genuine.

A NEW LODGE.

Summit City Lodge No. 36, A. O. U. W. Organized.

At Sion S. Bass Post G. A. R. hall on Calhoun street, last evening, was instituted the new lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, by Deputy Grand Master Workman Will J. Vesey, of this city. The order started out with thirty-one charter members, as follows:

W. S. Harrison, Almon A. Bunce, George R. Heuch, Amos Sine, W. A. Jackson, C. E. Lindsay, Jacob Rasmus, Allen P. Jackson, J. T. Connolly, Wm. P. Duffy, Maurice Lichtenwalter, J. M. Amoss, L. Bates, Henry Wilhelm, Clinton W. Holverstott, Charles E. Fessenden, Cyrus I. Flank, Fred. Eckart, jr., Jacob Racine, Albert Z. Polhamus, N. Conover, T. H. McCormick, M. D., J. R. Shafer, Frank Riehl, R. O. Ross, A. P. Buchman, M. D., R. E. Doty, Marshall Comincavish, Walter Lyman, George S. Hale.

After the members were instructed in the work of the first and second degrees, the election and installation of officers for the ensuing six months was proceeded with, which are as follows:

W. S. Harrison, past master workman.
N. Conover, master workman.
George R. Heuch, foreman.
C. E. Lindsay, overseer.
J. T. Connolly, guide.
William P. Duffy, recorder.
T. H. McCormick, financier.
A. P. Buchman, receiver.
Frank Riehl, inside guard.
Jacob Racine, outside guard.

Thursday night was chosen as the regular meeting evening and the lodge will meet at 80 Calhoun street, over App's shoe store, for the present.

This lodge starts out under the most auspicious circumstances and is destined to be a power for good. A sick benefit fund will be established in connection with the lodge.

A DISPATCH from Washington states that leading republicans, after consulting President-elect Harrison, have decided that an extra session of congress can not be avoided, and that the date of assembling should not be later than April 1. Then we are to have a little monopoly legislation and April Fool's day at "one fell swoop."

"A Possible Case," the great Union Square success, will be seen at the Temple this evening. The story is as follows: The scene opens in Vera Cruz, Mexico. The rich Brinkerhoff, of New York, is there, making love to Violet. She is twice married, with both husbands living, and finally consents to marry Brinkerhoff. Her former husbands are supposed to be dead; but they turn up again in New York just as the former wife, Ethel, of the happy bridegroom turns up. Things are uncomfortable for Brinkerhoff, but it is a possible case. He is old; his wife was young and romantic. They drifted apart beyond sight and hailing distance. She relents, has fallen heir to $8,000,000, hunts him up and lays his heart and wealth at his feet. Violet is satisfied to go with her second husband, whom she loves, but who had been lost by being in jail through no fault of his own. Her first husband, thoroughly bad, is disposed of by committing a forgery and being sent to jail. All things are adjusted amicably.

One Fact

Is worth a column of rhetoric, said an American statesman. It is a fact, established by the testimony of thousands of people, that Hood's Sarsaparilla does cure scrofula, salt rheum, and other diseases or affections arising from impure state or low condition of the blood. It also overcomes that tired feeling, creates a good appetite, and gives strength to every part of the system. Try it.

Advice to Mothers.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to take. It soothe the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

mar-18-1y

MASONIC TEMPLE.

ONE PERFORMANCE.

Tuesday, February 5.

Realistic Production of Mr. L. R. Shewell's Marvelously Successful American Melo-Drama,

SHADOWS of a GREAT CITY

Under the Management of Charles B. and Thomas Jefferson.

The Original Cast.

Our - Own - Special - Car

Required for the successful transportation of the vast wealth of magnificent scenery.

PRICES: 25, 50 and 75 cents. Secure seats; on sale Saturday.

It Makes You Hungry

"I have used Paine's Celery Compound and it has had a salutary effect. It invigorated the system and I feel like a new man. It improves the appetite and facilitates digestion." J. T. COPELAND, Primus, S. C.

Paine's Celery Compound

is a unique tonic and appetizer. Pleasant to the taste, quick in its action, and without any injurious effect. It gives that "tuned health" which makes everything taste good. It cures dyspepsia and kindred disorders. Physicians prescribe it. $1.00. Six for $5.00. Druggists.

WELLS, RICHARDSON & Co., Burlington, Vt.

DIAMOND DYES Color anything any color. Never Fail! Always uniform.

Spring medicine means more so-days than it did ten years ago. The winter of 1888-89 has left the nerves all frayed out. The nerves must be strengthened, the blood purified, liver and bowels regulated. Paine's Celery Compound—*the Spring medicine of to-day*—does all this. It nothing else can. *Prescribed by Physicians, Recommended by Druggists, Endorsed by Ministers, Guaranteed by the Manufacturers to be*

The Best Spring Medicine.

"In the spring of 1887 I was all run down. I would get up in the morning with no level a feeling, and was so weak that I could hardly get around. I bought a bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and before I had taken it a week I was very much better. I can cheerfully recommend it to all who need a tonic, and as a strengthening medicine." Mrs. R. A. DOW, Barlington, Vt.

LACTATED FOOD Nourishes infants perfectly. The Physician's favorite.

TAR-OID

NATURE HAS NO BETTER REMEDY

Than this New Compound of Tar for

Wounds, Burns, Coughs, Croup, Sores, Piles, Scrofula, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Varicose Veins, Eczema, and Bronchitis, and Consumption.

TAR-OID CO., Sole Props., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A.

TAR-OID must not be confounded with the cheap resinous white tars prepared on the theory that like dissolves like, which is not true. They have their place, but cannot compare with TAR-OID. Disease are caused by impure blood, which is the seat of skin diseases, such as Eczema, etc. It is soothing and wonderfully healing—giving immediate relief in every case. It is harmless and can be used with perfect safety by any one. It is superior to all other remedies. There is positively nothing else like it.

TAR-OID is a sure cure for piles. It never fails. We warrant a cure or refund the money. It gives immediate relief. It is perfectly safe, yet powerful in its action.

Send for our "Good Samaritan" free.

CHICAGO'S BEST PHYSICIANS INDORSE IT.

TAR-OID has no equal for Piles and Fruntis. LEILA G. BENELL, M. D., 181 Dearborn St.

TAR-OID has yielded wonderful results in Chronic Bronchitis and Consumption. J. B. SOUTHON, M. D., 203 78 State st.

TAR-OID gives me fine results in Rectal and Skin Troubles, Indolent Sores, and Enlarged Glands. F. H. PRATT, M. D., 87 Central Music Hall.

TAR-OID has a most wonderful action on the skin and has given me fine results in Chronic Consumption. W. H. SUPE, M. D., 111 Dearborn st.

TAR-OID acts like a charm on Piles, Old Sores, etc. A. H. BUCKLINGHAM, M. D., 84 Halsted st.

TAR-OID gives me perfect satisfaction in Chronic Troubles, Swellings, and Piles. E. M. THOMPSON, 408 Ogden st.

TAR-OID CO., 73 Randolph Street, Chicago, Ill.

For Sale by Dreier Bros., Corner of Columbia and Calhoun.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

MRS. MARIE L. HOLLOWAY, M. D.

Office, No. 80 Calhoun Street, Up Stairs. Residence, No. 395 Maumee Avenue.

Special Attention Given to

Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children.

OFFICE HOURS: 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., except Thursday afternoons. Jan. 14-12m.

ANDREW J. BOSWELL, M. D.,

Physician, Surgeon and Accoucher, Continues in the

General Practice of Medicine and Surgery.

Office over Loesch's Pharmacy. Residence, 196 East Lewis st. Telephone 886. 15-1mo

THOS. H. McCORMICK, M. D.

CHRONIC AND NERVOUS DISEASES

ROOMS 8 AND 9,

Office, Pixley and Long Block.

FORT WAYNE, IND.

Office hours: 1 to 9 p. m. july-1y

DR. T. J. DILLS,

NO. 40 WEST BERRY STREET.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR.

Office hours: 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m.

DR. JAMES M. DINNEN.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office, 76 Calhoun street.

Residence 68 West Wayne street

E. F. SITES, DENTIST,

No. - 74 - Calhoun - Street,

Opposite the Aveline House, over Mordhurst's Drug Store.

FORT WAYNE, INDIANA.

J. S. McCURDY,

D·E·N·T·I·S·T

OFFICE—Room 15, over First National Bank. tues&satfdn

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO ADVERTISERS

A list of 1,000 newspapers divided into States and sections will be sent on application—FREE.

To those who want their advertising to pay, we can offer no better medium for thorough and effective work than the various sections of our Select Local List.

GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce street, New York.

J. M. MODERWELL,

—DEALER IN—

Hard and Soft Coal!

Wood and Kindling,

Wells Street Bridge.

PROMPT DELIVERY,

Telephone 54.

Nov. 1-4mo.

Herman Helmke,

DEALEL IN

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers.

The public is cordially invited to call and examine my stock. Prices low and satisfaction guaranteed. No. 47 West Main Street. 19-1mo.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY.

Under Schedule in Effect November 18, 1888.

Trains leave the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago station at Fort Wayne as follows:

(STANDARD TIME.)

EASTBOUND—For Pittsburg, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia and New York: *2:05 a. m., 11:25 p. m., *2:05 p. m., *7:00 p. m. Crestline accommodation, 7:30 a. m.

WESTBOUND—For Chicago: *2:05 a. m., *12:05 p. m., *2:05 p. m., *7:00 p. m. Chicago accommodation leaves at 4:20 a. m. For Plymouth, 4:00 p. m.

*Daily.
†Daily, except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN.

[Fort Wayne Division.]

GOING NORTH		GOING SOUTH
10 30 a m—Ar	—Cincinnati Ex.—	Lv
	Detroit Ex	4 40 p m
3 40 p m	" —Detroit Ex	" 11 20 a m
8 30 p m	" —Way Freight	" 8 45 a m

All trains daily except Sunday.

NEW YORK, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS R. R.

GOING EAST		GOING WEST
Lv 2 00 p m	Express	Lv 1 40 p m
Lv 6 10 a m	Accommodation	Lv 6 45 p m

FT. WAYNE, CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE AND WHITE WATER R. R.

The direct line to and from Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and Fort Wayne.

(Fort Wayne Time Table.)

Going South.	Arrives
2 30 a m—Ft. Wayne accommodation—	9 30 a m
12 45 a m—Cin & Louis mail and ex—	4 45 p m
5 30 p m—Indianapolis express—	10 00 p m

WABASH RAILWAY.

NOVEMBER 11, 1888.

GOING WEST.	Depart
Pacific Express, daily	5 00 a. m.
Kansas City ex, daily except Sunday	1 40 p. m.
Vestibule Limited and Mail	9 17 p. m.
Lafayette accom	8 30 p. m.

GOING EAST.	Depart
Vestibule Limited daily	5 05 a m
Cannon Ball, except Sunday	1 22
Limited Express, daily	6
Lafayette accom arrives 11 a m.	

INDIANAPOLIS TIME CARD.

Lv Ft Wayne	Ar Indianapolis
5 00 a m	10 40 a m
1 45 p m	6 30 p m
Lv Indianapolis	Ar Ft Wayne
7 15 a m	1 20 p m
1 10 p m	8 30 p m
7 00 p m	2 40 a m

Through Buffalo Palace sleeping cars and new free chair cars on the Pacific and Limited express. Free chair cars, dining car and New York and Boston sleeping car on Vestibule Limited express.

Kansas City express and Cannon Ball has new reclining chair cars for Kansas City free.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

Time Table for Fort Wayne, in Effect Nov., 1888.

GOING NORTH.	
For Grand Rapids and North	Lv 3 40 a m
" " " "	" 8 05 p m
For Grand Rapids	" 2 40 p m
From Grand Rapids	Ar 8 00 p m

GOING SOUTH.	
For Richmond and Cincinnati	Lv 8 55 a m
" " " "	" 1 00 p m
" " " "	" 11 30 p m
From " " "	Ar 6 15 p m

Trains daily except Sunday.

J. C. PELTIER.

Undertaker & Embalmer,

17 WEST WAYNE ST.,

Telephone No. 174 - - - Fort Wayne, Ind

A. HATTERSLEY & SON

PLUMBERS,

Steam and Gas Fitters,

48 East Main St.,

FORT WAYNE, ... IND.

C. W. BRUNS & COMPANY,

—FINE—

Plumbing and Gas Fixtures,

106 Calhoun St. Opposite the Cathedral.

DREXEL'S COLOGNE
Sweet as Scent!! Fragrant! Lasting!
The Leading Price 25 Cts.
P. DREXEL & CO. Sold at Druggists.

LAXADOR Cures Liver Complaint, Constipation, Bilious Affections, Biliousness. At druggists. 25 c.

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP
ONE MOTHER'S SCHOOL FOR 10 C

SALVATION OIL
Price only 25 Cts. Sold by all druggists.
Will relieve Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Swellings, Bruises, Lumbago, Sprains, Headache, Toothache, Sores, Burns, Cuts, Scalds, Backache, Wounds, &c.

NEW LONG'S PLUG, The Great Tobacco Attraction—Price 10 Cts. At all druggists.

LONG LIFE.

There is nothing in the world more generally desired than long life, yet the majority of people put off caring for their health—not because they are really careless, but because we live our lives at such a pace we have not time to give the subject sufficient thought until we receive a reminder in the shape of a severe illness.

Then, too, we are constantly bewildered by the various schools of medicine, and the physicians who represent them, and often blunder in our choice of a doctor.

If people only knew that the very best health-keeper, life-preserver and disease preventer that has yet been discovered, is simmered down into a concentrated and very palatable form in the shape of New Style Pleasant Taste Vinegar Bitters, they would not hesitate a moment to try it.

But they do not know. How can they know, when so many not only worthless, but positively injurious drugs are constantly flooding the market under various names and guises, that the New Style Vinegar Bitters is as bad as any of them?

They do not know, of course, unless they have the courage to try the New Style. It straightens out a tangled-up system in a very short while, and those who buy it once buy it always.

Why don't you try it, reader? It is sent out by a responsible house, and is exactly as represented. It costs but a dollar for a very large bottle. Try it once and you will never be so glad of anything in your life. Your druggist may not have it, but he will order it for you. Be sure it says New Style Pleasant Taste on carton and bottle before you take it. Try it, and you will feel happier than if you had found a gold mine, for it really is a mine—of health.

Free from alcohol and opium; composed of expensive herbs and roots, with a fine, delicate flavoring.

Send for a beautiful book free.

R. H. McDONALD DRUG CO.,
Cor. Washington & Charlton Sts.,
NEW YORK CITY.

A. FOSTER!

Merchant Tailor

No. 15 W. Wayne St.

Fall and Winter '88-9!

I am pleased to announce the completion of my stock of Fine Woolens of French, German, Scotch and American manufacture for the fall and winter of 1888-89. I have imported for the Season's Trade the Largest Assortment of Choice Wool and Worsted Fabrics, Fine Suitings, Pants Goods and Overcoatings, very desirable and of Extra Value, and for men's wear, the best ever exhibited in this city; and I am prepared to Make to Order in a manner and style acceptable to all. Prices shall be the Lowest, considering the Superior Workmanship and Wares displayed at my rooms.

A. FOSTER,
No. 15 West Wayne Street.

M. L. ALBRECHT,
—MANUFACTURER OF—
CARRIAGES
—AND—
BUGGIES.
—CORNER OF—
MAIN AND BARR STS.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

FRIDAY, FEB. 1, 1889.

LOOKS LIKE LAW.

The Jenney Controversy With Plymouth Up Again.

The Plymouth *Democrat* says:

"Mayor Swindell received a communication last week from the Jenney Electric Light company, signed by R. T. McDonald, as manager, in which they say, substantially, that they do not feel in any sense bound to make any return to the people of Plymouth for the money and property received by them. It further states that the people of this place did not fulfill their part of the contract by failing to take the stock subscribed, and that thereby they (the company) are under no obligations to return any of the property. The letter exhibited rather an independent sort of spirit, without much inclination to arbitrate from what it now stands. The committee that was appointed to interview the company were also instructed to secure a legal opinion as to whether recovery could be made by process of law in case it could not be done otherwise."

NEED ATTENTION.

The Supreme Court Judges Call up Fort Wayne Cases.

In the proceedings of the Indiana supreme court, yesterday, these notes are recorded:

Jessie C. Powers, et al. vs. the town of New Haven. Allen C. C. Appellants ordered to return or substitute papers in ten days or show cause why appeal should not be dismissed.

David W. Smith vs. Thomas S. Heller et al. Allen S. C. Appellees ruled to show cause in writing within twenty days why judgment should not be reversed on their default.

THE LION ROUTED BY THE ASS.

Some of the most experienced orators have been disconcerted by very trivial circumstances. Here are two or three examples:

Daniel Webster, rising to speak at a poultry show, was unable to continue in rivalry with a Shanghai which began to air its lungs at the same moment, and had to resume his seat in confusion. Erskine was always extremely sensitive to a lack of interest by his audience. "Who can get on with that wet blanket of a face of yours before him?" he said once to Garrow, who was engaged with him in a cause. His first speech in the House of Lords was a humiliating failure, owing to the action of Chatham, who, as a speaker began, took up a pen and made a few notes as if with the intention of replying; but after listening a few moments he dashed the pen and paper upon the floor with a contemptuous smile. This indifference, real or pretended, completely upset Erskine, whose "voice faltered; he struggled through the remainder of his speech, and sank into his seat dispirited, and shorn of his fame." Burke was also extremely sensitive. Selwyn relates that he rose on one occasion to speak, holding a bundle of papers in his hand, when a rough-hewn country member started up and said: "Mr. Speaker, I hope the honorable gentleman does not mean to read that large bundle of papers, and to bore us with a long speech into the bargain." Burke was so suffocated with rage as to be incapable of speech, and rushed out of the House. "Never before," says Selwyn, "did I see the fable realized of a lion put to flight by the braying of an ass."

A. D. Cressler is accepting contracts for new work and the prospect is flattering for busy times at the Kerr Murray manufactory before long.

After diphtheria, scarlet fever, or pneumonia, Hood's Sarsaparilla will give strength to the system, and expel all poison from the blood.

A Brussels lace merchant had received from a Belgian, residing in Paris, an order for a large quantity of Malines lace. The goods were carefully packed in a lead coffin, which was dispatched to the Paris address as containing a corpse, says a Paris exchange. The Paris merchant had to wait so long for the arrival of the "body" that he at length complained to the manager of the Northern railway, who informed him that the coffin had been detained at the frontier owing to the non-compliance with certain prescribed formalities relating to the transmission of corpses. Our merchant at once took train to Quievrain, dressed in solemn black and with a mourning band round his hat, and wearing an expression of profound sadness. But in spite of his emphatic protest against such an act of desecration the officials insisted on opening the coffin, when the truth came to light and the ingenious smuggler was taken into custody.—*New York Telegram.*

For more than forty years, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been successfully prescribed in cases of consumption. This medicine always affords great relief in pulmonary diseases. Ask your druggist for it.

COUGHING IN CHURCH.

Whoever has attended a place of worship must have noticed that the storm of coughing which prevails therein, and the throat-clearing, which moves like a rabble of wrong notes before the church music, are not wholly natural phenomena. They are to a large extent avoidable evils, bred of habit and thoughtless imitation, and their very desirable reduction is therefore by no means helpless. Even where a basis of disease underlies the explosion, a little self-control could usually do something to lessen its force or its frequency. The same is of course doubly true in the case of the merely habitual cougher. A variety of medicinal aids might, more over, be used in support of such voluntary efforts. There is, lastly, the option of refraining from the use of the voice in worship should every other means fail to assure that reasonable degree of quiet which is natural and decent in public worship. Remonstrance on the part of the officiating clergymen affords another possible remedy, and a preacher must indeed be often tempted to reprove this form of disturbance as much in the interest of his hearers as himself. Occasionally his judicious interference might be useful. We cannot doubt that it has from time to time been resorted to. It must be remembered, however, that nowhere are tact and temper so needful as in the pulpit, and that, however easy of use this corrective may appear, it would be unwise to establish any set method of restraint in a case where so much depends on personal discretion. A notice affixed at each entrance-door would probably better answer the same purpose. In one respect, indeed, both clergymen and their lay assistance are open to some degree of blame in the matter. The arrangements for heating and ventilation are defective in almost every church. By seeking out and amending any evil errors in these respects the officia members of a congregation would a least be doing what they could to abate the coughing nuisance.—*London Lancet.*

CHEAP SHOPPING.

Mrs. Bliffers (reading)—An elegant winter wrap, the latest Paris style, can now be bought for $72.

Mr. Bliffers (greatly interested)—Does it say anything about the price of overcoats?

Mrs. B. (looking over the paper)—Let me see. Oh, yes; here it is. "Go to Cheap John's Celebrated Misfit Emporium for an overcoat, elegant garment, price $5, worth $8. Also freshly assorted stock second hand goods, slightly soiled, neatly patched, $3." Dear me! How cheap things are nowadays. Just think. A wrap for me and an overcoat for you can be got for $78.—*New York Weekly.*

Bartholdi's Great Work.

The statue of Liberty enlightening the world, which stands on Bedloe's Island, in the harbor of New York, is one of the most sublime artistic conceptions of modern times. The torch of the goddess lights the nations of the earth to peace, prosperity and progress, through Liberty. But "liberty" is an empty word to the thousands of poor women enslaved by physical ailments a hundredfold more tyrannical than any Nero. To such sufferers Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription holds forth the promise of a speedy cure. It is a specific in all those derangements, irregularities and weaknesses which make life a burden to so many women. The only medicine sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. See guarantee printed on wrapper enclosing bottle.

The handsomest line of toilet sets at lowest prices, is to be found annual at Meyerhurst's drug store. See our window display. ddwyr

MRS. FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT is to receive $15,000 for writing a serial story for a New York weekly. This is the largest sum ever paid to a woman for a similar service. Mrs. Amelia Rives Chanler is at work on a serial for which she is to be paid $7,000, and that was thought to be a remarkable price when the contract was signed.

St. JACOBS OIL
For Lumbago.

Cured Permanently. Original Statement, 1884. Renewed, Jan. 29, 1887. Three years ago had rheumatism in back; lumbago; was bedridden; St. Jacobs Oil cured me; have not felt it since.
FRANK MORROW, Franklinville, Ill.

Cured Permanently. Original Statement, 1886. Renewed, June 10, 1887. Suffered two years ago with acute pains in back; in one hour great relief from St. Jacobs Oil; three applications cured; in the morning pains gone. HENRICK E. HOPKINS, Fort Atkinson, Indiana.

Cured Permanently. Entered, May 27, '87. With sore cords; collected with lame back; suffered severely; had intolerable thirst; was sleepless; took St. Jacobs Oil, was cured by it.
A. E. CUNNINGHAM, Perryville, Md.
AT DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.
THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.

BUY THE FAMOUS Warren Featherbone WILL NEVER BREAK
GUARANTEED TO OUTWEAR ANY CUSTOM-MADE CORSET
MAYER, STROUSE & CO.
NYTRS.-412 BROADWAY, N. Y.

Luxuriant Hair

Can only be preserved by keeping the scalp clean, cool, and free from dandruff, and the body in a healthful condition. The great popularity of Ayer's Hair Vigor is due to the fact that it cleanses the scalp, promotes the growth of the hair, prevents it from falling out, and gives it that soft and silky gloss so essential to perfect beauty.

Frederick Handy, of Roxbury, Mass., a gentleman fifty years of age, was fast losing his hair, and what remained was growing gray. After trying various dressings with no effect, he commenced the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. "It stopped the falling out," he writes; "and, to my great surprise, converted my white hair (without staining the scalp) to *the same shade of brown it had when I was 25 years of age.*"

Ten Years Younger.

Mrs. Mary Montgomery, of Boston, writes: "For years, I was compelled to wear a dress cap to conceal a bald spot on the crown of my head; but now I gladly lay the cap aside, for your Hair Vigor is bringing out a new growth. I could hardly trust my senses when I first found my hair growing; but there it is, and I am delighted. *I look ten years younger.*"

A similar result attended the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor by Mrs. O. O. Prescott, of Charlestown, Mass., Miss Bessie H. Bedloe, of Burlington, Vt., Mrs. J. J. Burton, of Bangor, Me., and numerous others.

The loss of hair may be owing to impurity of the blood or derangement of the stomach and liver, in which case, a course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla or of Ayer's Pills, in connection with the Vigor, may be necessary to give health and tone to all the functions of the body. At the same time, it cannot be too strongly urged that none of these remedies can do much good without a persevering trial and strict attention to cleanly and temperate habits.

Ayer's Hair Vigor,
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by Druggists and Perfumers.

New Advertisements.

VIRGINIA FARMS and MILLS SOLD and exchanged. Free Catalogue. E. B. CHAFFIN & CO., Richmond, Va.

HINDERCORNS. The only sure Cure for Corns, Stops all pain. Insures comfort to the feet. 15c. at Druggists. Hinson & Co., Bost.

For CONSUMPTIVE Night Sweats, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Use PARKER'S GINGER TONIC. Unequaled for Pain in the Side and Chest. Cures where all else fails. Positively Prevents Pneumonia from Sudden Exposure. Take no Substitute. 50c. and $1.00.

MADE WITH BOILING WATER.
EPPS'S
GRATEFUL—COMFORTING.
COCOA
MADE WITH BOILING MILK.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Prevents Dandruff and Hair Falling. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists.

WEAK KIDNEYS BACKACHE
Weak and Painful Kidneys, Aching Sides, Back and Chest, Rheumatic, Sciatic, Sharp and Muscular Pains, relieved in one minute by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster. The first and only instantaneous pain-killing strengthening plaster. 25 cts; 5 for $1. At druggists, or of Potter Drug and Chemical Co., Boston.

PIMPLES, Pimples, blackheads, chapped and oily skin cured by Cuticura Soap. PIMPLES.

MARVELOUS
MEMORY
DISCOVERY.
Only Genuine System of Memory Training. Four Books Learned in one reading. Mind wandering cured. Every child and adult greatly benefited. Great inducements to Correspondence Classes. Prospectus, with opinions of Dr. Wm. A. Hammond, the world famed Specialist in Mental Diseases, Hon. Richard Proctor, the Scientist, Hons. Judge Gibson, Judah P. Benjamin, and others, sent post free.
Prof. A. LOISETTE, 237 Fifth Ave., N. Y.

THE GLORY OF MAN STRENGTH VITALITY!
THE SCIENCE OF LIFE
KNOW THYSELF.
THE SCIENCE OF LIFE
A Scientific and Standard Popular Medical Treatise on the Errors of Youth, Premature Decline, Nervous and Physical Debility, Impurities of the Blood, Exhausted Vitality and Untold Miseries resulting from Folly, Vice, Ignorance, Excesses or Overtaxation. Enervating and unfitting the victim for Work, Business, the Married or Social Relations. Avoid unskilful pretenders. Possess this great work. It contains 300 pages, royal 8vo. Beautiful binding, embossed, full gilt. Price, only $1.00 by mail, post-paid, concealed in plain wrapper. Illustrative Prospectus FREE. Now apply. The distinguished author, Wm. H. Parker, M. D., received the GOLD AND JEWELLED MEDAL from the National Medical Association, for the PRIZE ESSAY on NERVOUS and PHYSICAL DEBILITY. Dr. Parker and scores of Assistant Physicians may be consulted, confidentially, by mail or in person, at the office of THE PEABODY MEDICAL INSTITUTE, No. 4 Bulfinch St., Boston, Mass., to whom all orders for books or letters for advice should be directed as above.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound.—Compound of Cotton Root, Tansy and Pennyroyal. The recognized regulator. Safe, Effectual. Ladies, $1 by mail, or druggists. Sealed particulars 4 stamps. Address POND LILY COMPANY, 191 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich. Sold in Fort Wayne by Thieme & Gruse, druggists. 18-1yr

In Ye Olden Times a Washboard was a family necessity. The Wonder known as

Anti-Washboard
Jaxon Soap

Has completely revolutionized things, and gives the housekeeper something new. The ANTI-WASHBOARD SOAP has made for itself a reputation as the

WOMAN'S TRUE FRIEND.

Ask your Grocer for and Take Nothing but Jaxon Soap.

It is a FAMILY SOAP in every sense, and once used will be always used. *Try it.*

FRUIT HOUSE PRICES FOR 1889.

No Advance on Sugar, Coffee or Teas.

Just Received a Shipment of Twenty Hogsheads of Choice New Orleans Sugar 5 1-2 Cents a Pound.

Great Reduction in New Turkish Prunes, Foreign and Domestic Dried Fruits.

Green Tea, Black Tea, Japan Tea, Young Hyson Tea.

Good, 20c. per pound; choice, 30c.; best, 50c. per pound. Imperial Tea, good, 30c.; best, 50c. per pound. Gunpowder Tea, 30c.; best, 50c. Oolong or Black Tea, 20c., 30c.; best, 50c. Japan Tea, 20c., 30c.; best, 50c. The above prices are the lowest on record and the best teas are of the highest quality. No better anywhere. The other grades are good, sweet, drawing tea and will please the most fastidious tea drinkers. Just give them a trial and satisfy yourself.

Coffee—Rio, Java and Roasted Coffee.

Best Rio Coffee, 20c.; Best Roasted Rio, 21c.; Jersey coffee, 22c.; Dannermillers, 22c; Leverings, 22c.; Anchor, 22c.; Victor, 22c.; Best Old Government Java, 27c.; Roasted Java, 32c.

Sugars—White, Brown and New Orleans.

Choice yellow C sugar, 6½c.; best standard A coffee white, 7½c.; crushed, powdered and Granulated sugar, 8c. per pound; choice New Orleans sugar, 5½c pound.

Foreign Fruits for Cakes.

New Valencia Raisins, 8c.; Loose Muscatel Raisins, 12c.; Seedless Sultana Raisins, 10c.; Finest Malaga Layr Raisins, 15c.; Zantee Currants, 8c.; Leghorn Citrons, 20c.; Orange and Lemon Peel, 15c.; Layer Figs, 12½c.; Good Figs, 8c.; Golden Layer Dates, 8c.; Shelled Almonds, 30c. per pound.

Domestic Dried Fruits.

Dried Raspberries, 28c.; Pitted Cherries, 25c.; Dried Blackberries, 10c.; California Pared Peaches, 20c.; California Apricots, 20c.; California Pitted Plums, 15c.; California Nectarines, 22c.; California Silver Prunes, 20.; California Evaporated Peaches, 25c.; New Turkish Prunes, 5c.; Dried Peaches, 5c.; Dried Apples, 5c.; Evaporated Apples, 9c.; German Pears, 10c.; Prunells, 16c.

CANDIES AND NUTS.

Pure stick candy, 12c.; Pure mixed candy, 12c.; Fancy candy, 20c.; Brazil nuts, 10c. quart; Almond nuts, 15c; Mixed nuts, 12½c.; Walnuts and Filberts, 12½c. quart.

Syrups—Maple and Sugar Syrups.

Pure Maple syrup, 80c.; golden drips, 40c.; Sorghum, 40c.; New Orleans molasses, 35c.; best, 50c. a gallon; The sorghum is splendid and 10c. lower than we ever sold it before.

Liquors and Wines for Medical Purposes.

Old 76, $2.50 per gallon; two years old, $1.75; one year old, $1.40 per gallon; new whisky, $1 and $1.25 per gallon; Port and Sherry, $1.25 a gallon; California wine, $1.25 per gallon; wines in bottles, 35c. and 40c.

Oils—Machine Oil, Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Neatsfoot Oil, Castor and Headlight Oil.

Fish oil, 70c. per gallon; Neatsfoot oil, 80c. per gallon; Lard oil, 70c. per gallon; Machine oil, dark, 20c. per gallon; Golden, 30c. per gallon; Castor oil, $1.75 per gallon; Headlight oil, 12c. per gallon.

Cigars and Tobaccos, Plug Tobacco, Smoking Tobacco and Fine Cut

Good cigars, 60c. and $1 per box; Choice cigars, $1.50 per box; Horse Shoe plug tobacco, 45c. per pound; J. T. or Big Chung, 38c; Wild Flower 40c.; Bob White, 45c.; Jolly Bro, 40c. per pound; Smoking tobacco, 20c, 25c, 35c.; best Dunham, 45c. per pound; Fine cut tobacco, 25c, 50c, and 75c. per pound.

25 Cents on the Dollar Saved at the

FORT WAYNE FRUIT HOUSE.

FOR MEN ONLY!
A POSITIVE CURE for LOST or FAILING MANHOOD; General and NERVOUS DEBILITY; Weakness of Body and Mind; Effects of Errors or Excesses in Old or Young. Robust, Noble MANHOOD fully Restored. How to Enlarge and Strengthen WEAK, UNDEVELOPED ORGANS & PARTS OF BODY. Absolutely unfailing HOME TREATMENT—Benefits in a day. Few testify from 47 States, Territories, and Foreign Countries. Illustrated Pamphlet, Sealed (sent free upon request), 50 pages, 8vo. Address ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.
Nov. 24eowlyr.

JAMES MADDEN,
PLUMBER,
Steam and Gas Fitter,
110 Calhoun Street,
Next door to Y. M. C. A.
FORT WAYNE, - - - INDIANA

FRANK B. KENDRICK,
ARCHITECT,
138 - Calhoun - St.,
FORT WAYNE, - - - INDIANA.

MUSTANG LINIMENT
CURES BOLLOWHORN, CARED BAGS, GRUB & HOOF DISEASE IN CATTLE!

MUSTANG LINIMENT
CURES FOOT ROT, SHOULDER-ROT, SCREW-WORM AND SCAB IN SHEEP!

MUSTANG LINIMENT
IS FOR MAN & BEAST. PENETRATES MUSCLE & FIBRE TO THE VERY BONE.

MUSTANG LINIMENT
CURES SWINNEY, SADDLE AND HARNESS SORES IN HORSES & MULES!

MUSTANG LINIMENT
HEALS INFLAMMATION, OLD SORES, CAKED BREASTS & INSECT BITES!

MUSTANG LINIMENT
IS FOR MAN & BEAST. PENETRATES MUSCLE & FIBRE TO THE VERY BONE.

THE

White -:- Outside

—IS—

CONTINUED.

SO ALSO IS THE

SALE

—OF—

Muslin

UNDERWEAR!

—AT—

ROOT & COMPANY'S

Piles of underwear have disappeared, only to be replenished, like the white outside — from above. (The fourth story in our case.)

Inventory on hand this week, but it will not interfere with the sale of underwear in the Annex at

ROOT

AND

COMPANY'S.

NEW + BATHS

—AT THE—

Wayne House Barber Shop.

At much expense and with the greatest care I have arranged the following list of baths, which will be served at all times within regular hours at the Wayne Hotel Barber Shop:

Cologne bath	$1 00.
Bay bath	75.
Alcohol	75.
Amonia	50.
Sea salt	50.
Plain	25.

Experienced and willing attendants, the very best appointments, neatest arrangements and first-class facilities are features that I guarantee. To this departure, entirely new to Fort Wayne, I court public attention and public patronage.

SID HUBBARD,

Proprietor of Wayne Hotel Barber Shop.

JOS. M. CLARK. PERRY N. DeHAVEN.

Jos. M. Clark & Co.,

FASHIONABLE

Merchant Tailors

34 East Berry Street,

Are offering Rare Bargains in Winter Suitings for the next thirty days. Give them a call and get the latest styles.

A. F. GESSLER,

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

FRESH, SALT

—AND— —

SMOKED - MEATS,

60 East Main Street.

He has just placed new machinery in his establishment and is now prepared to make the finest Sausages in the market. Dressed Poultry and Home made Lard for sale. 24-1yr.

CANDY Send $1.25, $2.10 or $2.50

For a sample retail box, by express, PREPAID, of the BEST CANDY in AMERICA. Put up in elegant boxes suitable for presents. Refers to all Chicago. Address,

CANDY C. F. Gunther,

212 State St.,

CANDY Chicago, - - - I

LaVanway & Didier,

DEALERS IN

Hay, Straw, Oats

—AND—

C-O-R-N

NO. 45 EAST COLUMBIA STREET.

We deliver feed to any part of the city free. 9-1mo

Fort Wayne Sentinel.

FRIDAY, FEB. 1, 1889.

LOCAL NEWS.

Lent begins March 6.

There are just an even four weeks in this month.

The Knights of Labor assembly at Maysville, this county, has disbanded.

The arrivals at the prison north for January were forty-four, the lightest in many years.

Mrs. C. B. Fitch and Mr. Low Feryer, of this city, visited their friends at Avilla this week.

Mr. Albert Markey, of the Standard grocery, has recovered from an illness of some days' duration.

The shipments of ice down over the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, Tuesday last, aggregated 120 car loads.

Miss Pearl Woodward, cashier at Pixley & Co.'s clothing store, has returned from a visit to relatives at Plymouth.

Mrs. Jeremiah O'Connor returned from Lima, Ohio, last evening, where she was visiting relatives and friends.

To-morrow is Ground Hog's day and the question that agitates humanity is, "Will the little animal see its shadow?"

"The Possible Case" company arrived from Lima at noon and go thence to Toledo. They play at Chicago next week.

The Grand Rapids *Democrat* says: "Mrs. H. Schmiel is visiting friends and relatives at Fort Wayne and Logansport, Ind.

A new railroad across Steuben county is to be constructed by the citizens of Angola. It is to connect with the Grand Rapids road.

They have horse races on the ice at Grand Rapids, Mich. One of the steeds running in the races yesterday was named "Northrop."

Mr. C. W. Edgerton has issued his Columbia bicycle schedule for 1889. Mr. Edgerton is the local representative of the Boston house.

Judge L. M. Ninde, of this city, was one of the attorneys for the Lookwood estate, in the big trial concluded at Angola Wednesday, and was on the winning side.

The company playing "A Possible Case" is one of the strongest comedy organizations on the road. There are eighteen first-class artists, and the salary list amounts to $1,500 a week.

Mr. Gus Hofmann has sold his barber shop, on Calhoun street, to Mr. Theodore Lang, the pleasant assistant who has been in his employ for some time. Mr. Hoffman left last evening to enter into business at Hudson, N. Y.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad company finished putting up ice at Rome City, and have filled their large houses there with pretty good ice. They will also put up ice at Clam Lake and Petoskey, Mich., for their use.

The supreme court again decided a few days ago that under the acts of April 8 and 13, 1885, a railroad company is not liable for injuries to stock, entering upon the track at a private farm crossing, in the absence of negligence on the part of the company or its employes.

The Northern deanery of the Episcopal diocese of Indiana closed its session at South Bend last evening. Rev. A. W. Seabrease, of this city, was prominent in the deliberations and the South Bend *Times* says that he preached a grand opening sermon. It was his first meeting with the deanery.

The Rev. Father Carroll, of Chicago, who is the orator engaged to lecture at Library Hall, St. Patrick's evening, has chosen for his subject, "The Race Traits of the Irish People." The topic is one of the best on the calendar of rostrum themes, and the eloquent priest will do it ample justice.

The Maysville *Breeze* has this compliment: "Mr. James E. Graham, of Fort Wayne, was in town two days of last week settling up the Eninger estate for the family, which was done satisfactorily to all, thus keeping it out of the courts, and saving them a large bill of expense, which is seldom done by an attorney, and should serve as a recommendation for his honest services to all."

The Ligonier *Banner* in referring to the recent wedding anniversary of Hon. and Mrs. J. K. Edgerton says: "Though taking high rank among the really able men of Indiana, Mr Edgerton's public or official career is limited to a single term in the congress of the United States, to which he was elected in the year 1862, over the late Wm. Mitchell of Kendallville. His extreme modesty and his aversion to the dubious methods seemingly indispensible to the attainment of elective positions, have kept him in the background." The *Banner* then refers to Mr. Edgerton's railroad operations, credits him with effecting the consolidation of the Pensylvania railroad lines of the west, and concludes: "And it stands to his everlasting credit that in his operations in railroad matters, as well as in other enterprises, he never thought to overreach his fellowmen but always dealt with them honestly and honorably."

There was no police court this morning.

Hon. Robert Lowry is at Indianapolis.

Judge and Mrs. R. S. Taylor went to Chicago last night.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Peters left last night for New York City.

Officer Frank Rohle took Frank Burns back to the state reform school to-day.

Captain Bradley is home from Emporia, Kansas, on a visit to his family.

Miss Ellen Ellison, of West Berry street, went to Montreal, Canada, today.

A. Gebert & Co., the meat dealers, have placed a handsome new wagon on the road.

J. V. Climer and G. M. Dumond, Indianapolis, and C. E. Jost, Toledo, are at the Rich.

Fred Shaffer of the New Denison at Indianapolis, has taken a position at Harry Hammill's Annex.

J. W. Andrews, Toledo; J. Shaffer, Indinnapolis; Miss Lucy Patterson, Angola, are at the Aveline house.

Miss Berthia and Coe Weisell of Bluffton, are visiting their cousin Miss Carrie Weisell of 311 West Jefferson street.

Mrs. Leo Knechle, who has been attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Stubnabry, will return to her home at Milwaukee to-morrow.

Sheriff George Vilberg and Mr. Thomas S. Heller returned yesterday from Indianapolis, where they went with an insane patient.

The great wheel for the Jenney electric light power station was completed yesterday and the engines will be in motion before two weeks.

Mr. G. L. Clayton, of the firm of Clayton, Purcell & Co., will return tomorrow from the south, where he has been in the interest of his firm.

Last night at 6 o'clock some fellow tumbled through a plate glass window in Abe Oppenhamer's store, on East Main street, and escaped arrest.

Mr. R. D. Rousseau, who is now at Vinita, I. T., writes to a friend in this city that he is pleased with that country and is getting along very nicely.

J. M. Steele, the veteran Wabash brakeman, has resumed his run on the Fort Wayne accommodation, after quite a siege of illness, the result of injuries received.

The Plymouth council has again contracted with Mr. M. W. Simons to light the streets of that town with the Jenney spark for $2,000. The lights burn on a moon schedule and only up to midnight.

Mrs. Joseph Wood, of Pittsburg, wife of General Superintendent of Transportation Wood, of the Pennsylvania company, is in the city to-day, visiting friends. She travels in her own special car.

Yesterday about 4 o'clock, fire was discovered in the second story of Mr. Charles Bell's residence, at New Haven, and before help arrived, the flames had spread, and the building, with its contents, was burned to the ground.

The firm of Lillie & Munson, lime and cement and stone dealers, has been dissolved, the partnership expiring by limitation on the 5th of January. Mr. Lillie will continue the business. Mr. Munson has not yet formulated his plans, but he says he will again engage in active business.

Mr. Frank A. Gocke has resigned his position as traveling salesman for C. D. C. Heustis to accept a similar position for the wholesale house of A. C. Trentman. Mr. Gocke has traveled for the Heustis house for sixteen years, and this is as high a compliment as one can pay the popular ex-councilman.

Mr. F. Owen, the agent of the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, at Rome City, is the owner and possessor of several volumes of rare works. The Holy Bible, the book of common prayer and administration of the sacraments and other rites and ceremonies of the church of England, printed in 1683, over 200 years ago, and the "Sum and Substance of Christian Religion," composed by James Usher, published in the year 1658.

The *Breeze*, published at Maysville, this county, has this: "Two men are likely to have trouble over a cow that they bought in partnership. The one claims the rear half and all the milk, and refuses to pay for any feed, saying that his half did not eat anything, while the other man claims half the milk and insists that his partner pays for half the feed. The owner of the rear half has employed Lawyer Shaffer and will serve an injunction on the other man to restrain him from milking the cow half the time."

Mr. Christ Boecker, proprietor of the *Journal*, attended the meeting of the Indiana Editorial association, at Indianapolis, yesterday. The following officers were chosen: President, J. O. Henderson, of the Kokomo *Dispatch*; vice-presidents, B. F. Louthain and M. C. Benham; recording secretary, F. A. Arnold; corresponding secretary, Luther Short; treasurer, W. K. Shaffer, executive committee, J. B. Stoll, Royal E. Purcell, S. E. Morss, Dr. D. W. H. Hunter and W. A. Beane.

Judge A. A. Chapin is at Huntington on a legal mission.

Mr. Wilbur Ruth, a popular foreman at the Bass works, is all smiles over the arrival of a pretty girl baby at his home.

Christina Linker, et al., sue Edward Neunschwander for $500. W. G. Colerick is attorney for the claimants.

The R. J. Walker club, a new democratic organization, will meet to-night at Pete Owens' hall, to elect officers. The club is backed by prominent democrats and leading tariff reformers, including Supt. P. S. O'Rourke and S. M. Foster.

Miss Ida Finke, of Dayton, Ohio, is the guest of her friends the Misses DeWald, of DeWald square. Miss Finke accompanied to this city her niece, Hortance Gocke, the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gocke, who comes to visit Mr. Gocke's relatives.

Mr. Fred Graffe, sr., was the recipient of a number of handsome and costly presents from his children and grand-children on the occasion of his eightieth birthday anniversary observed and noted yesterday, and the reception at his residence continued last evening. Mr. Graffe came to Fort Wayne forty-nine years ago, almost half a century and was prominent in the growth and prosperity of Fort Wayne.

MRS. REV. CARL SCHAAF.

The Death of a Noble Christian Lady This Morning.

Mrs. C. Schaaf, wife of Rev. C. Schaaf, pastor of the St. John's Reformed church, of this city, died at her residence, 59 West Washington street, a little after 8 o'clock, this morning, after a prolonged illness. Funeral services will be held next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1:30 p. m. in the house and at 2 p. m. in the St. John's Reformed church, conducted by the Reformed ministers of the city in both the German and English languages.

Mrs. Schaaf has been ill since last June, with a complication of diseases, and her death was not unexpected, yet it was a severe shock to her bereaved husband and grief-stricken family, and they have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

She was forty-three years old, an estimable Christian lady and has gone to her reward, leaving a record crowned with all the virtues of life.

Besides her husband, the beloved pastor of the St. John's church, she leaves her mother, Mrs. Catherine Marquardt, who was at her bedside at the time of her death, and five children.

CENSUS TAKERS.

They are Named for Service by the Trustee.

Under the state law a census of the children of school age is taken every six years and this being the allotted time, Trustee Geo. Brackenridge has appointed the following gentlemen to perform the task.

First and Eighth Wards—Clarence W. Edsall.

Second and Third Wards—Gen. Viberg, jr.

Fourth and Fifth Wards—Henry Stoup.

Sixth and Seventh Wards—Michael Woulfe.

Ninth Ward and Nebraska—Daniel Biegler.

Wayne Township, Outside of City—Valentine Kintz.

Striking at Our Institutions.

(Bluffton Banner.)

The people of Bluffton are not disposed to let the Salamonie company, of this city, pipe natural gas to their town. They estimate that the cost of piping gas seventeen miles will be $100,000, and are organizing a company of their own.—FORT WAYNE SENTINEL.

Our people have no objections to the Salmonie company piping gas to our city, and that company, by an ordinance passed over a year ago, were granted the right to lay pipes in the city and all other rights they asked. The only fault we find is that the Salamonie company, like some other Fort Wayne institutions, is slower than the seven-year itch.

BIG SALES.

Real Estate Changing Hands at a Lively Rate.

William and Florence Rich have sold the north twenty feet of lot 112 Hunns's addition for $7,000 to John Ferguson.

Benjamin P. Rice, executor, has sold to John Ferguson lot 5, Rockhill and Nelson's addition for $3,500.

Charles A. Hays to Eliza Wise, lot 24, Chute and Prince addition, for $1,500.

John Dietz to Anthony Christen lot 41 Hough's addition for $1,400.

By the first purchase Mr. Ferguson becomes sole owner of the Rich meat market block, on Calhoun street. He has owned the other half since its construction.

A clear skin adds to the beauty of a fine face, and often lends a charm to homeliness. To beautify your complexion, you should purify your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. As a tonic and alterative medicine, it has no equal. Price $1. Six bottles, $5.

The cheapest place to buy wax candles is at Boston Tea Store. 26-5t

THE GOSSIP OF THE DAY!

As a Sentinel Reporter Hears it Around the Busy Centers of the City.

Clarence Wilson, of the Pittsburg offices, is on the sick list.

Wm. Parker, auditor of the Pennsylvania railroad, was in the city yesterday.

A. S. Work, of the Nickel Plate executive staff, returned to-day from Chicago.

The Wabash will probably pass out of the hands of the receiver within a month or two.

Harry Hayes, machinist at the Bass works, has gone to Logansport for the company.

W. E. Powell, general emmigration agent of the Milwaukee road, is in the city to-day.

The boys at the Pittsburg shops are talking of John Franke as a candidate for office this spring.

Louis Bourlo, clerk at the Pittsburg works, is taking a monthly inventory of stock at the car shops.

F. C. Underwood, a conductor on the Pittsburg, has recovered from his illness and resumed his duties.

S. A. Wikel, general freight agent of the Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville road, is at Indianapolis.

S. A. Grabel, yardmaster at the Nickel Plate, will build a handsome residence in the spring, on West Wayne street.

Hugh Bennigan, of the Bass works, is arranging for a hunt with a party of friends, out on the prairies west of the city.

Lewis Williams, of Cleveland, general superintendent of the Nickel Plate, was in the city yesterday, on his way to Chicago.

J. B. Blaising, of the Bass foundry, the boys say, is being urged to be a councilmanic candidate from the Eighth ward this spring.

Will Gould, an apprentice at the Bass machine shops, had his leg quite severely injured yesterday by having it caught in a planer. He will be off duty for several days.

The question of abolishing round-trip tickets, which has been under discussion by the general passenger agents of the western and eastern lines, has been dropped indefinitely.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana road is carrying southward large quantities of ice. One day this week it sent southward 120 car-loads. Most of it comes from northern Michigan.

The reports from the bedside of Jerry O'Connor say that he is getting along nicely. The young man had three of his fingers taken off by an accident at the Pittsburg shops, the other day.

Julius Fabian, of the Pittsburg lumber yards, is being congratulated over the arrival at his home, No. 188 East Lewis street, of a handsome baby girl and is doing the honors gracefully.

The Fort Wayne Furniture company received orders for 250 folding beds during January. This number is said from a special contract for 200 ordered by C. F. Flint & Co., New York City.

Theodore Wichman, machinist at the Bass works, had an experience with a fair moustache patient last night and was not as bright as usual this morning when our reporter gazed into his face.

The elegant car standing on the Pittsburg side tracks to-day brought Mrs. Joseph Woods from Pittsburg. She is the wife of the superintendent of transportation and is visiting friends in the city.

Fred Mommowisch, of the Pittsburg works, has a magnificent new gun and William Wurtle has challenged him for a shoot. Wurtle offers to give Mommowisch five birds to start on, but a contest has not yet been arraigned.

D. L. Judy, apprentice at the Pittsburg machine shops, resumed his position again this morning after an absence of several weeks. When he talks about his Niagara Falls visit, the boys say "rats" and D. L. tumbles immediately.

H. Killen, the electrician at the Pittsburg works, saw the private car of the company standing on the track this morning near the company's general offices, and supposing it was the pay car sent out in advance on account of the coming of ground hog day to-morrow, he made a frantic rush for it to draw his pay. He was nicely fooled however, and the boys are laughing at his expense.

The Bergdoff brewery received several car loads of bottle cases to-day.

Wm. Harrison, who is an excellent mechanic, took a position in the Pittsburg machine shops this morning. He was formerly with the car department.

The pipes supplying the new water tank east of the Nickel Plate roundhouse were completed yesterday, and the tank is now in full operation, supplying engines.

Among the January shipments of pulleys made by the Old Fort Manufacturing company, were large ones to Altoona, Pa., Lockport, N. Y., and Leslie, Mich. A big order from Puget Sound, W. T., was received yesterday.

General passenger agents and ticket-scalpers are watching with a good deal of interest what action congress will take regarding the recommendation of the inter-state commissioners on excursion and commutation tickets and on the matter of paying commissions. The commission recommends that the act be so amended as: First, to define what shall be considered excursion and commutation tickets; second to prohibit all payments of commissions on sale of tickets and on sale of tickets for interstate business, except by regular agents of carriers; third, to require carriers to provide for the speedy and convenient redemption of unused tickets or coupons.

Man's greatest enemy is the wine-glass; woman's the looking-glass. But the greatest friend of both is that world renowned philanthropist, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Fine Meats

The Establishment of

J. - N. - PFEIFFER,

44 West Berry Street,

Is one the Best

MEAT - MARKETS

IN THE CITY.

SPECIAL PRICES are given on Boilings and Roasts, choice Rolled Corn Beef, Home-made Sausage and Home-made Lard. Everything sold at reasonable prices.

P. E. COX,

PRACTICAL

Sanitary Plumber,

Has opened a shop at

No. 29 West Main Street.

ALL WORK GUARANTEED AT

Reasonable Prices

Masonic Temple,

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.

First Time in Fort Wayne of

J. M. HILL'S

Union Square Theatre

—COMPANY IN—

A Possible Case!

By Sydney Rosenfeld.

The Great New York Success.
A Satire on Divorce Laws of N. Y.
Fun, Fact and Fancy Woven Together.

PRICES: 25c., 50c., 75c. and $1.
Seats now on sale at Box Office.

The Oldest Firm and Most Reliable in the City,

Wing & Mahurin,

ARCHITECTS

27 Calhoun Street. jan 29-6mo.

A. GEBERT & CO.,

Dealers in All Kinds of

FRESH, SALT

—AND—

SMOKED MEATS.

Dressed Poultry and Country Sausages a Specialty.

No. 28 East Columbia Street,

Fort Wayne, - - - - Ind.

9-1mo

FINE GROCERIES

English Plum Pudding,
German Strawberries in Syrup,
Smoked Sardines in Oil,
Snider's Catsup,
Hamburg Eels Canned,
Huckin's Soups, Etc., Etc.

Pitted Olives,
Fine English Jams,
Boutilleau Fils Olive Oil,
Snider's Chili Sauce,
Sardines Canned,
All Kinds of Fine Groc

PYKE'S GROCERY

80 CALHOUN STREET.